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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re:
U.S. Application of: Kyu TAKADA
For: PHOTONIC CRYSTAL DEVICE
Confirmation No.: 1657
U.S. Serial No.: 09/818,304 ✓
Filed: March 27, 2001 ✓
Group Art Unit: 2873
Examiner: Joseph P. Martinez ✓

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2002 which provides for a response period ending December 11, 2002.

Amendments to the claims are presented herein by presenting a complete set of pending claims, as amended, in clean form. Also, an Appendix entitled "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made," showing the current amendments to the claims is attached hereto.